settled between the Boeing Company and Pakistan.

(b) Does not arise.

Negotiations for Purchase of Super Computer From Russia

692. SHRI K. VASUDEVA PANICKER: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state the per capita central plan assistance, State-wise, in the annual plan for 1986-87 and 1987-88?

(a) whether it is a fact that Government are negotiating with the Russian Government for purchase of super computer;

(b) if so, by when the said deal is likely to be finalised; and

(c) what is the amount involved in the deal?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY AND THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENTS OF OCEAN DEVELOPMENT, ATOMIC ENERGY, ELECTRONICS AND SPACE (SHRI K. R. NARAYANAN): (a) There are no specific negotiations with the Russian Government for the purchase of super computer at present. However, the Elbrus super computer has been included in the protocol signed by the Indo-Soviet Working Group on Computers in March 1986.

(b) and (c) Do not arise.

Loan assistance provided by LIC to Rural Water Project in Maharashtra

693. SHRI SURESH KALMADI : Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) what is the amount of loan assistance provided by the Life Insurance Corporation of India to Maharashtra Government against an estimated expenditure of 175 crores for rural drinking water supply; and

(b) whether Government propose to direct the LIC to increase the loan assistance.

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE (SHRI JANARDHAN POOJARI): (a) and (b) Loans for rural water supply schemes are given by the LIC on the basis of amounts intimated to them by the respective State Governments out of the allocations made by the Planning Commission and after examining the viabity of the schemes sent by them. During 86-87, the State Government of Maharashtra intimated to L.I.C. their requirement of an amount of Rs. 7.98 crores for rural water supply schemes and the same has been sanctioned by L.I.C.

Plan assistance to States

694. SHRIMATI KANAK MUKHERJEE: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state the per capita central plan assistance, State-wise, in the annual plan for 1986-87 and 1987-88?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PLANNING (SHRI SUKH RAM): The statement enclosed gives the State-wise information regarding per capita Central assistance allocated for the Annual Plan 1986-87 and 1987-88.

Statement

Per Capita Central assistance allocation for the Annual Plan 1986-87 *and* 1987-88*

(in Rs.)

States	1986-87	1987-88
1 2	3	4
(A) *Special Category* :		
1. Assam	321	362
2. Himachal Pradesh	488	551